

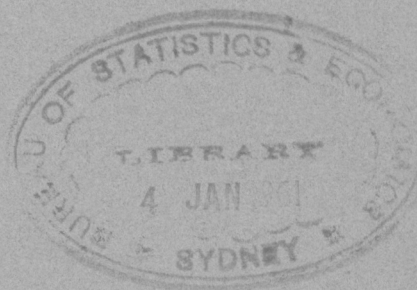
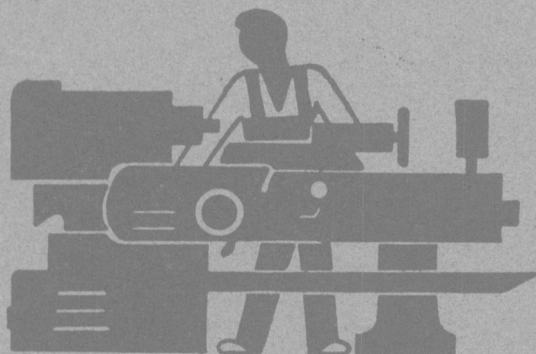
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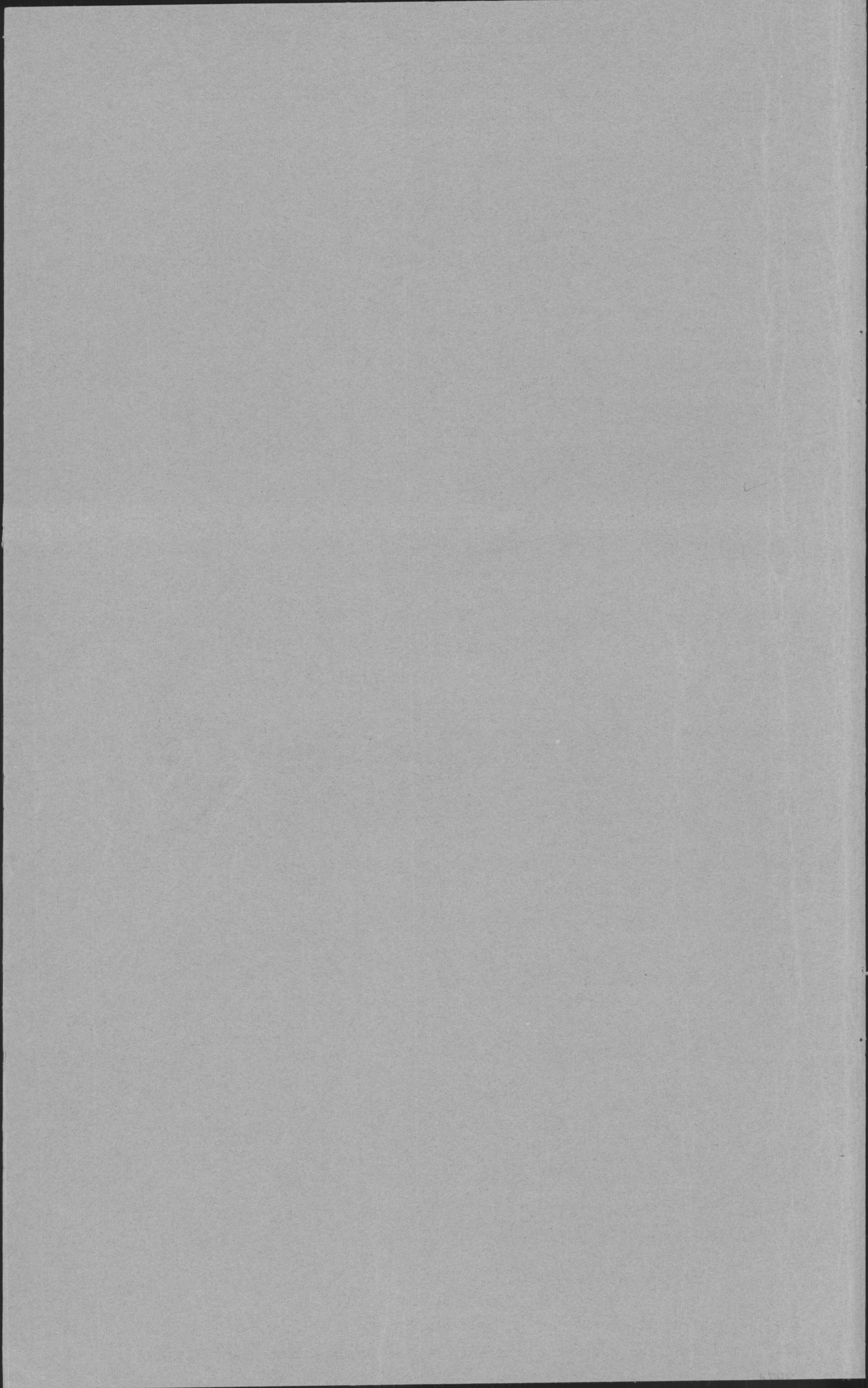
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

1. Except where otherwise specified, employment estimates contained in this Bulletin are obtained from three main sources, viz.,
 - (a) monthly data as to persons employed in factories as shown at Annual Factory Censuses;
 - (b) current monthly returns from Governmental Bodies; and
 - (c) current monthly Pay-roll Tax returns.

There are also some other direct records of monthly employment (e.g., for hospitals).

These are supplemented by estimates of the number of employees outside the ambit of the Factory Census, Governmental Bodies and Pay-roll Tax returns. Monthly numbers of factory employees subsequent to June, 1959 are estimated and are subject to revision when the Factory Censuses for 1959-60 and ensuing years are tabulated.

2. All figures in this Bulletin are compiled on an establishment or enterprise basis, and therefore do not cover exactly the same area of industry as do the relevant industry tabulations of the General Censuses of 1947 and 1954, which are based on the returns of individual employees.
3. The purpose of the estimates of employment in this Bulletin is to measure, as nearly as may be with available data, current monthly trends in employment in the defined field. Industry groups herein are not identical in coverage with Census groups.
4. The terms "Employment", "Number Employed", "Employees" and "Wage Earners" used herein are synonymous with, and relate to, "Wage and Salary Earners" on pay-rolls or "in employment" in the latter part of each month as distinct from numbers of employees actually working on a specific date. They include persons employed part-time.
5. Pay-roll Tax returns at present are lodged by all employers paying more than £200 a week in wages (other than certain Commonwealth Government Bodies, religious and benevolent institutions, public hospitals and other similar organizations specifically exempted under the Pay-roll Tax Assessment Act 1941-1957). This Act, when originally introduced in 1941, required employers paying wages of more than £20 a week to lodge returns. The exemption limit was raised to £80 a week from 1st October, 1953 and to £120 a week from 1st September, 1954. The present exemption limit of £200 a week was introduced as from 1st September, 1957.

PREFACE

The figures relating to employment published in this Bulletin are estimates. From Bulletin No. 195, February, 1958, the series of estimated employment in "factories" shown in previous issues was replaced (commencing with the month of July, 1948) by a series showing actual monthly employment in factories as recorded at successive annual Censuses of Factories to June, 1957, with interim estimates for subsequent months. Adoption of this new series entailed adopting also new series for "Total Manufacturing", "Total Private Employment" and "Total Employment" for Males, Females and Persons, in all tables affected.

Since then the interim estimates have been replaced by actual numbers of factory employees as the results of successive annual Censuses of Factories to June, 1959 have become available. Substitution of Factory Census figures each year entails consequential revisions in the interim estimates for subsequent months.

Call-ups for short periods of National Service Training occurred between July, 1951 and November, 1959, and other variations occur in numbers of personnel in the Services. These are shown in item 4 below and in Table 4, page 3.

TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA (EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestic) (Thousands)

	1959		1960				
	Sept.	Oct.	June	July	August	Sept.	Oct.
MALES							
1. In Private Employment	1503.7	1508.5	*1550.1	*1552.9	1556.7	*1561.7	1567.6
In Governmental Employment (a) -							
Commonwealth Government Bodies -							
Defence Group (b)	29.7	29.6	29.5	29.4	29.2	29.1	28.8
Other	142.8	142.6	144.6	144.4	144.2	143.9	144.0
State Government Bodies	389.0	387.1	386.2	385.5	384.8	383.8	383.0
Local Government Bodies	70.1	70.7	73.0	72.7	72.6	72.6	73.0
2. Total Governmental	631.6	630.0	633.3	632.0	630.8	629.4	628.8
3. Grand Total in Civilian Employment	2135.3	2138.5	*2183.4	*2184.9	*2187.5	*2191.1	2196.4
4. Defence Forces (Permanent, in Australia and Overseas) (c)	49.6	47.9	45.9	45.8	45.6	45.3	45.1
5. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces (c)	2184.9	2186.4	*2229.3	*2230.7	*2233.1	*2236.4	2241.5
FEMALES							
1. In Private Employment	676.7	680.9	707.1	708.2	711.1	714.8	718.3
In Governmental Employment (a) -							
Commonwealth Government Bodies -							
Defence Group (b)	6.2	6.1	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.4
Other	40.9	40.9	41.2	41.6	41.5	41.2	41.3
State Government Bodies	90.1	90.2	95.3	95.0	94.9	95.3	95.5
Local Government Bodies	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5
2. Total Governmental	144.2	144.3	150.2	150.4	150.2	150.2	150.7
3. Grand Total in Civilian Employment	820.9	825.2	857.3	858.6	861.3	865.0	869.0
4. Defence Forces (Permanent, in Australia and Overseas) (c)	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7
5. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces	822.7	827.0	859.1	860.4	863.0	866.7	870.7
PERSONS							
1. In Private Employment	2180.4	2189.4	*2257.2	*2261.1	*2267.8	*2276.5	2285.9
In Governmental Employment (a) -							
Commonwealth Government Bodies -							
Defence Group (b)	35.9	35.7	35.9	35.8	35.6	35.4	35.2
Other	183.7	183.5	185.8	186.0	185.7	185.1	185.3
State Government Bodies	479.1	477.3	481.5	480.5	479.7	479.1	478.5
Local Government Bodies	77.1	77.8	80.3	80.1	80.0	80.0	80.5
2. Total Governmental	775.8	774.3	783.5	782.4	781.0	779.6	779.5
3. Grand Total in Civilian Employment	2956.2	2963.7	*3040.7	*3043.5	*3048.8	*3056.1	3065.4
4. Defence Forces (Permanent, in Australia and Overseas) (c)	51.4	49.7	47.7	47.6	47.3	47.0	46.8
5. Total Civilian Employees and Defence Forces (c)	3007.6	3013.4	*3088.4	*3091.1	*3096.1	*3103.1	3112.2

(a) Includes employees of Semi-Governmental Bodies. (b) Comprises employees of the Departments of Air, Army, Navy, Defence and Supply. (c) Prior to December, 1959, includes National Service Trainees in camp. * Revised.

1. GENERAL SUMMARY

TABLE 1 - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES : AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestic)

(Thousands)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
July	2,099.0	2,128.3	*2,184.9	794.5	814.6	858.6	2,893.5	2,942.9	*3,043.5
August	2,097.5	2,128.8	*2,187.5	795.1	815.3	861.3	2,892.6	2,944.1	*3,048.8
September	2,098.9	2,135.3	*2,191.1	796.5	820.9	865.0	2,895.4	2,956.2	*3,056.1
October	2,103.0	2,138.5	2,196.4	798.3	825.2	869.0	2,901.3	2,963.7	3,065.4
November	2,111.3	2,145.5		803.9	835.1		2,915.2	2,980.6	
December	2,106.7	2,147.9		804.0	836.6		2,910.7	2,984.5	
January	2,109.7	2,154.5		799.9	834.3		2,909.6	2,988.8	
February	2,120.7	2,166.6		810.6	845.9		2,931.3	3,012.5	
March	2,123.5	2,173.6		813.2	852.0		2,936.7	3,025.6	
April	2,127.2	2,173.4		812.8	850.7		2,940.0	3,024.1	
May	2,127.7	2,177.8		813.2	855.8		2,940.9	3,033.6	
June	2,127.6	*2,183.4		813.0	857.3		2,940.6	*3,040.7	

* Revised.

TABLE 2 - DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA

(Permanent Defence Forces in Australia and Overseas (a))

(Thousands)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
July	47.2	49.2	45.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	49.0	51.0	47.6
August	48.8	49.6	45.6	1.8	1.8	1.7	50.6	51.4	47.3
September	48.8	49.6	45.3	1.8	1.8	1.7	50.6	51.4	47.0
October	47.6	47.9	45.1	1.9	1.8	1.7	49.5	49.7	46.8
November	45.2	46.3		1.9	1.8		47.1	48.1	
December	45.2	46.0		1.8	1.8		47.0	47.8	
January	49.8	46.3		1.9	1.8		51.7	48.1	
February	50.3	46.5		1.8	1.8		52.1	48.3	
March	47.2	46.4		1.8	1.8		49.0	48.2	
April	46.3	46.3		1.8	1.8		48.1	48.1	
May	50.1	46.2		1.8	1.8		51.9	48.0	
June	49.9	45.9		1.8	1.8		51.7	47.7	

(a) Prior to December, 1959, includes National Service Trainees in camp.

TABLE 3 - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES (a) : AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestic)

(Thousands)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
July	2,146.2	2,177.5	*2,230.7	796.3	816.4	860.4	2,942.5	2,993.9	*3,091.1
August	2,146.3	2,178.4	*2,233.1	796.9	817.1	863.0	2,943.2	2,995.5	*3,096.1
September	2,147.7	2,184.9	*2,236.4	798.3	822.7	866.7	2,946.0	3,007.6	*3,103.1
October	2,150.6	2,186.4	2,241.5	800.2	827.0	870.7	2,950.8	3,013.4	3,112.2
November	2,156.5	2,191.8		805.8	836.9		2,962.3	3,028.7	
December	2,151.9	2,193.9		805.8	838.4		2,957.7	3,032.3	
January	2,159.5	2,200.8		801.8	836.1		2,961.3	3,036.9	
February	2,171.0	2,213.1		812.4	847.7		2,983.4	3,060.8	
March	2,170.7	2,220.0		815.0	853.8		2,985.7	3,073.8	
April	2,173.5	2,219.7		814.6	852.5		2,988.1	3,072.2	
May	2,177.8	2,224.0		815.0	857.6		2,992.8	3,081.6	
June	2,177.5	*2,229.3		814.8	859.1		2,992.3	*3,088.4	

(a) Prior to December, 1959, includes National Service Trainees in camp. * Revised.

TABLE 4 - TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND DEFENCE FORCES : AUSTRALIA
(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Female Private Domestic)

(Thousands)

Month	Civilian Employees (excluding Rural Industry and Female Private Domestic)									Defence Forces (b)
	Males			Females			Persons			
	Governmental Bodies (a)	Private Employment	Total	Governmental Bodies (a)	Private Employment	Total	Governmental Bodies (a)	Private Employment	Total	
1947 June	472.0	1177.4	1649.4	92.1	527.5	619.6	564.1	1704.9	2269.0	54.0
1948 June	494.0	1236.9	1730.9	94.9	549.1	644.0	588.9	1786.0	2374.9	39.3
1949 June	522.7	1280.3	1803.0	100.2	569.6	669.8	622.9	1849.9	2472.8	33.3
1950 June	554.3	1323.1	1877.4	107.7	587.9	695.6	662.0	1911.0	2573.0	33.7
1951 June	571.2	1370.1	1941.3	113.9	614.8	728.7	685.1	1984.9	2670.0	44.3
1952 June (c)	578.4	1362.9	1941.3	115.3	572.1	687.4	693.7	1935.0	2628.7	69.4
1953 June	567.8	1354.2	1922.0	112.0	570.3	682.3	679.8	1924.5	2604.3	67.4
1954 June	581.4	1408.9	1990.3	114.5	605.2	719.7	695.9	2014.1	2710.0	62.1
1955 June	599.1	1450.6	2049.7	122.8	629.1	751.9	721.9	2079.7	2801.6	59.8
1956 June	604.9	1477.3	2082.2	129.8	643.6	773.4	734.7	2120.9	2855.6	59.3
1957 June	609.5	1475.9	2085.4	132.8	647.4	780.2	742.3	2123.3	2865.6	47.9
1958 June	621.8	1476.1	2097.9	136.6	655.9	792.5	758.4	2132.0	2890.4	50.1
1959 June	633.9	1493.7	2127.6	143.9	669.1	813.0	777.8	2162.8	2940.6	51.7
1960 June	633.3	*1550.1	*2183.4	150.2	707.1	857.3	783.5	*2257.2	*3040.7	47.7
1958 March	616.4	1480.7	2097.1	136.7	664.8	801.5	753.1	2145.5	2898.6	47.8
April	618.8	1478.9	2097.7	136.4	659.7	796.1	755.2	2138.6	2893.8	46.4
May	620.8	1477.7	2098.5	136.3	658.6	794.9	757.1	2136.3	2893.4	50.1
June	621.8	1476.1	2097.9	136.6	655.9	792.5	758.4	2132.0	2890.4	50.1
July	621.7	1477.3	2099.0	137.7	656.8	794.5	759.4	2134.1	2893.5	49.0
August	620.6	1476.9	2097.5	137.5	657.6	795.1	758.1	2134.5	2892.6	50.6
September	620.7	1478.2	2098.9	137.6	658.9	796.5	758.3	2137.1	2895.4	50.6
October	621.5	1481.5	2103.0	137.6	660.7	798.3	759.1	2142.2	2901.3	49.5
November	622.8	1488.5	2111.3	137.8	666.1	803.9	760.6	2154.6	2915.2	47.1
December	622.8	1483.9	2106.7	137.1	666.9	804.0	759.9	2150.8	2910.7	47.0
1959 January	627.1	1482.6	2109.7	138.6	661.3	799.9	765.7	2143.9	2909.6	51.7
February	631.2	1489.5	2120.7	143.0	667.6	810.6	774.2	2157.1	2931.3	52.1
March	632.0	1491.5	2123.5	143.4	669.8	813.2	775.4	2161.3	2936.7	49.0
April	633.6	1493.6	2127.2	143.7	669.1	812.8	777.3	2162.7	2940.0	48.1
May	634.4	1493.3	2127.7	143.6	669.6	813.2	778.0	2162.9	2940.9	51.9
June	633.9	1493.7	2127.6	143.9	669.1	813.0	777.8	2162.8	2940.6	51.7
July	633.4	1494.9	2128.3	144.5	670.1	814.6	777.9	2165.0	2942.9	51.0
August	632.6	1496.2	2128.8	144.2	671.1	815.3	776.8	2167.3	2944.1	51.4
September	631.6	1503.7	2135.3	144.2	676.7	820.9	775.8	2180.4	2956.2	51.4
October	630.0	1508.5	2138.5	144.3	680.9	825.2	774.3	2189.4	2963.7	49.7
November	630.6	1514.9	2145.5	144.7	690.4	835.1	775.3	2205.3	2980.6	48.1
December	630.1	1517.8	2147.9	143.5	693.1	836.6	773.6	2210.9	2984.5	47.8
1960 January	631.3	1523.2	2154.5	143.7	690.6	834.3	775.0	2213.8	2988.8	48.1
February	634.2	1532.4	2166.6	148.6	697.3	845.9	782.8	2229.7	3012.5	48.3
March	635.0	1538.6	2173.6	149.5	702.5	852.0	784.5	2241.1	3025.6	48.2
April	634.6	1538.8	2173.4	149.7	701.0	850.7	784.3	2239.8	3024.1	48.1
May	633.9	1543.9	2177.8	150.0	705.8	855.8	783.9	2249.7	3033.6	48.0
June	633.3	*1550.1	*2183.4	150.2	707.1	857.3	783.5	*2257.2	*3040.7	47.7
July	632.0	*1552.9	*2184.9	150.4	708.2	858.6	782.4	*2261.1	*3043.5	47.6
August	630.8	*1556.7	*2187.5	150.2	711.1	861.3	781.0	*2267.8	*3048.8	47.3
September	629.4	*1561.7	*2191.1	150.2	714.8	865.0	779.6	*2276.5	*3056.1	47.0
October	628.8	1567.6	2196.4	150.7	718.3	869.0	779.5	2285.9	3065.4	46.8

(a) Includes all employees of Governmental Bodies (Commonwealth, State, Local and Semi-Governmental) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education, broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees, within Australia. (b) Includes members of Permanent Defence Forces in Australia and overseas and, from July, 1951 to November, 1959, National Service Trainees in camp. Non-enlisted personnel are included to June, 1956. (c) See Preface on page 1 as to the effects of fluctuations in the numbers of Defence Forces and National Service Trainees since July, 1951. * Revised.

TABLE 5 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

STATES AND TERRITORIES

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestic and Defence Forces) (a)
(Thousands)

State or Territory	June, 1956	June, 1957	June, 1958	June, 1959	June, 1960	Sept., 1959	Oct., 1959	Sept., 1960	Oct., 1960
MALES									
New South Wales	808.3	810.2	813.9	819.0	845.1	822.8	823.8	850.3	852.3
Victoria	583.2	586.0	592.9	603.4	*620.6	605.5	607.0	*622.9	625.4
Queensland	282.4	282.6	282.8	287.8	290.6	287.2	287.1	289.7	289.1
South Australia	187.9	186.4	186.0	192.0	196.8	193.4	193.4	196.6	197.5
Western Australia	140.5	138.4	138.6	140.0	141.7	140.7	141.0	143.1	143.2
Tasmania	65.7	66.0	67.0	67.6	69.3	67.5	68.0	69.0	69.3
Northern Territory	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.9	6.3	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.4
Aust.Cap.Territory	9.0	10.0	11.1	11.9	13.0	12.2	12.2	13.0	13.2
Australia:	2082.2	2085.4	2097.9	2127.6	*2183.4	2135.3	2138.5	*2191.1	2196.4
FEMALES									
New South Wales	305.9	309.3	314.4	320.4	339.6	324.2	326.2	343.2	345.6
Victoria	238.5	240.4	244.5	252.8	266.3	255.0	256.6	268.4	269.5
Queensland	93.7	95.8	95.9	97.9	101.8	99.1	98.8	102.6	102.6
South Australia	62.5	62.4	63.4	65.9	69.9	66.8	67.2	70.6	70.9
Western Australia	45.1	44.5	45.6	47.0	49.1	47.3	47.6	50.1	50.3
Tasmania	23.2	22.9	23.5	23.3	24.2	22.6	22.8	23.6	23.6
Northern Territory	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.6
Aust.Cap.Territory	3.3	3.7	3.9	4.3	4.8	4.5	4.6	4.9	4.9
Australia:	773.4	780.2	792.5	813.0	857.3	820.9	825.2	865.0	869.0
PERSONS									
New South Wales	1114.2	1119.5	1128.3	1139.4	1184.7	1147.0	1150.0	1193.5	1197.9
Victoria	821.7	826.4	837.4	856.2	*886.9	860.5	863.6	*891.3	894.9
Queensland	376.1	378.4	378.7	385.7	392.4	386.3	385.9	392.3	391.7
South Australia	250.4	248.8	249.4	257.9	266.7	260.2	260.6	267.2	268.4
Western Australia	185.6	182.9	184.2	187.0	190.8	188.0	188.6	193.2	193.5
Tasmania	88.9	88.9	90.5	90.9	93.5	90.1	90.8	92.6	92.9
Northern Territory	6.4	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.9	7.4	7.4	8.1	8.0
Aust.Cap.Territory	12.3	13.7	15.0	16.2	17.8	16.7	16.8	17.9	18.1
Australia:	2855.6	2865.6	2890.4	2940.6	*3040.7	2956.2	2963.7	*3056.1	3065.4

(a) Prior to December, 1959 excludes also National Trainees in camp. * Revised

TABLE 6 - CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OF GOVERNMENTAL BODIES (a), OCTOBER, 1960

STATES AND TERRITORIES

(Thousands)

State or Territory	Commonwealth Govt. (b)						State Govt. (b)		Local Govt.		Total Governmental (b)		
	Defence Group		Other		Total								
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	P
New South Wales	9.0	1.6	48.8	14.5	57.8	16.1	134.0	31.2	29.9	3.4	221.7	50.7	272.4
Victoria	13.1	3.5	38.4	11.3	51.5	14.8	101.1	29.4	13.9	2.1	166.5	46.3	212.8
Queensland	1.1	0.1	17.4	4.9	18.5	5.0	55.3	9.5	19.4	1.1	93.2	15.6	108.8
South Australia	4.4	0.8	13.9	3.1	18.3	3.9	40.1	12.7	3.6	0.3	62.0	16.9	78.9
Western Australia	0.6	0.1	9.2	2.2	9.8	2.3	37.7	8.3	3.7	0.4	51.2	11.0	62.2
Tasmania	0.1	0.1	4.8	1.3	4.9	1.4	14.8	4.4	2.4	0.2	22.1	6.0	28.1
Northern Territory	—	—	3.2	0.9	3.2	0.9	—	—	0.1	—	3.3	0.9	4.2
Aust.Cap.Territory	0.5	0.2	8.3	3.1	8.8	3.3	—	—	—	—	8.8	3.3	12.1
<u>TOTAL:</u>													
October, 1960	28.8	6.4	144.0	41.3	172.8	47.7	383.0	95.5	73.0	7.5	628.8	150.7	779.5
<u>TOTAL:</u>													
September, 1960	29.1	6.3	143.9	41.2	173.0	47.5	383.8	95.3	72.6	7.4	629.4	150.2	779.6

(a) See note (a) to Table 4 on previous page. (b) Includes employees of Semi-Governmental Bodies.

II. EMPLOYMENT IN INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

TABLE 7 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

STATES - OCTOBER, 1960

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestic and Defence Forces)

(Thousands)

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (a)
MALES							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	7.9	5.3	5.5	1.7	2.2	2.1	25.0
Mining and Quarrying	22.7	4.7	9.4	1.6	7.5	2.9	49.3
Manufacturing, etc.- Factories (b)	346.2	268.6	84.5	80.4	41.2	23.4	844.3
Other (c)	29.2	20.2	11.2	3.1	2.5	1.0	69.5
Total Manufacturing:	375.4	288.8	95.7	83.5	43.7	24.4	913.8
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.)	74.6	50.2	35.9	19.0	13.5	8.9	206.5
Road Transport	38.5	22.8	15.1	7.5	4.8	2.7	91.7
Shipping and Stevedoring	15.6	10.3	7.9	5.1	5.3	2.4	46.8
Rail and Air Transport	35.9	21.9	21.2	9.1	10.1	2.4	101.2
Communication	26.4	20.0	10.1	6.6	4.9	2.3	71.0
Property and Finance (incl.Banks, etc.)	29.2	22.3	9.4	6.2	4.4	1.7	73.4
Retail Trade	53.5	41.1	16.3	13.1	10.9	3.5	139.2
Wholesale and Other Commerce	54.9	47.0	22.8	15.5	15.0	4.8	160.5
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	38.4	29.0	12.4	8.6	7.6	3.9	105.8
Other Industries (d)	79.3	62.0	27.4	20.0	13.3	7.3	212.2
TOTAL MALES:	852.3	625.4	289.1	197.5	143.2	69.3	2,196.4
FEMALES							
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	118.7	106.7	17.7	18.1	6.6	4.9	272.7
Other (c)	1.3	2.4	2.9	0.2	0.9	0.1	8.1
Total Manufacturing:	120.0	109.1	20.6	18.3	7.5	5.0	280.8
Rail and Air Transport	3.8	2.1	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	8.4
Other Transport (incl.Shipping, etc.)	4.9	4.4	2.0	1.1	0.6	0.3	13.4
Communication	7.5	5.5	2.6	1.9	1.0	1.0	19.6
Property and Finance (incl.Banks, etc.)	23.2	15.2	5.8	4.0	2.6	1.2	52.2
Retail Trade	50.5	36.9	18.5	13.5	12.2	4.4	136.8
Wholesale and Other Commerce	19.7	14.2	7.4	4.3	3.4	1.0	50.0
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	11.7	7.7	4.9	2.0	2.2	1.1	31.7
Other Industries (d)	104.3	74.4	39.5	25.2	20.4	9.5	276.1
TOTAL FEMALES:	345.6	269.5	102.6	70.9	50.3	23.6	869.0
PERSONS							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	7.9	5.4	5.5	1.7	2.2	2.1	25.2
Mining and Quarrying	23.1	4.8	9.7	1.7	7.7	3.0	50.5
Manufacturing, etc.- Factories (b)	464.9	375.3	102.2	98.5	47.8	28.3	1,117.0
Other (c)	30.5	22.6	14.1	3.3	3.4	1.1	77.6
Total Manufacturing:	495.4	397.9	116.3	101.8	51.2	29.4	1,194.6
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.)	77.3	52.0	36.6	19.5	13.8	9.0	212.6
Road Transport	42.2	26.5	16.8	8.4	5.2	2.9	102.4
Shipping and Stevedoring	16.8	11.0	8.2	5.3	5.5	2.5	49.5
Rail and Air Transport	39.7	24.0	22.5	9.7	10.5	2.5	109.6
Communication	33.9	25.5	12.7	8.5	5.9	3.3	90.6
Property and Finance (incl.Banks, etc.)	52.4	37.5	15.2	10.2	7.0	2.9	125.6
Retail Trade	104.0	78.0	34.8	26.6	23.1	7.9	276.0
Wholesale and Other Commerce	74.6	61.2	30.2	19.8	18.4	5.8	210.5
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	50.1	36.7	17.3	10.6	9.8	5.0	137.5
Other Industries (d)	180.5	134.4	65.9	44.6	33.2	16.6	480.8
TOTAL PERSONS:	1,197.9	894.9	391.7	268.4	193.5	92.9	3,065.4

For notes see page 8.

TABLE 8 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

AUSTRALIA

(EXCLUDING Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestic and Defence Forces(h))
(Thousands)

Industrial Group	Sept., 1959	Oct., 1959	July, 1960	August, 1960	Sept., 1960	Oct., 1960
MALES						
<u>Forestry, Fishing and Trapping</u>	24.9	24.8	25.4	25.4	25.1	25.0
<u>Mining and Quarrying -</u>						
Gold Mining	6.9	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6
Silver, Lead and Zinc Mining	9.0	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.7
Coal Mining	21.3	21.3	21.4	21.3	21.2	21.2
Other Mining and Quarrying	11.8	11.8	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.8
<u>Total Mining and Quarrying</u>	49.0	49.0	49.5	49.4	49.2	49.3
<u>Manufacturing, etc. -</u>						
Factories (b)	812.6	813.8	*838.7	*839.7	*842.7	844.3
Other (c)	68.3	68.3	69.2	69.2	69.3	69.5
<u>Total Manufacturing</u>	880.9	882.1	*907.9	*908.9	*912.0	913.8
<u>Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.) -</u>						
Building (Privately employed) (e)	84.4	85.0	87.7	88.0	87.5	87.9
Other (f)	118.6	118.4	119.0	118.3	118.3	118.6
<u>Total Building and Construction</u>	203.0	203.4	206.7	206.3	205.8	206.5
<u>Transport and Communication -</u>						
Road Transport	88.0	88.1	91.3	91.4	91.7	91.7
Shipping and Stevedoring	48.3	48.2	47.0	46.7	45.9	46.8
Rail and Air Transport	104.2	103.4	102.1	101.9	101.5	101.2
Communication	71.0	71.1	71.5	71.3	71.2	71.0
<u>Total Transport and Communication</u>	311.5	310.8	311.9	311.3	310.3	310.7
<u>Property and Finance, (including Banks and Insurance)</u>	69.0	69.1	73.2	73.3	73.5	73.4
<u>Commerce -</u>						
Wholesale Trade	128.4	129.0	132.7	133.1	133.5	134.0
Primary Produce Agencies	25.8	26.5	23.9	24.8	25.7	26.5
Retail Trade	134.3	134.8	137.5	138.1	138.5	139.2
<u>Total Commerce</u>	288.5	290.3	294.1	296.0	297.7	299.7
<u>Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.</u>	105.3	105.2	105.7	105.8	105.6	105.8
<u>Other -</u>						
Law and Order	24.1	24.1	24.8	24.9	25.0	25.1
Religion and Social Welfare	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.5
Health Services	28.3	28.6	29.1	29.1	29.2	29.2
Education	49.5	49.6	52.8	52.9	53.1	53.3
Other Professional Services	15.8	15.6	16.3	16.9	17.0	17.0
Amusement, Sport and Recreation	19.7	20.0	20.6	20.6	20.8	20.6
Personal Service (g)	54.4	54.5	54.9	55.2	55.3	55.5
<u>Total Other</u>	203.2	203.8	210.5	211.1	211.9	212.2
TOTAL:	2,135.3	2,138.5	*2,184.9	*2,187.5	*2,191.1	2,196.4
FEMALES						
<u>Forestry, Fishing and Trapping</u>	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
<u>Mining and Quarrying</u>	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
<u>Manufacturing, etc. -</u>						
Factories (b)	253.9	256.0	268.8	270.1	271.9	272.7
Other (c)	7.9	7.9	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.1
<u>Total Manufacturing</u>	261.8	263.9	277.0	278.2	280.0	280.8
<u>Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.)</u>	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1
<u>Transport and Communication -</u>						
Road Transport	9.9	9.9	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.7
Shipping and Stevedoring	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
Rail and Air Transport	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.4	8.4
Communication	19.7	19.9	19.4	19.3	19.3	19.6
<u>Total Transport and Communication:</u>	40.4	40.6	40.9	40.8	41.0	41.4

* Revised.

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TABLE 8 - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS
AUSTRALIA (continued)
(Thousands)

Industrial Group	Sept., 1959	Oct., 1959	July, 1960	August, 1960	Sept., 1960	Oct., 1960
FEMALES (continued)						
<u>Property and Finance (including Banks and Insurance)</u>	48.2	48.2	52.2	52.2	52.0	52.2
Commerce -						
Wholesale Trade	41.4	41.6	43.4	43.4	43.5	43.8
Primary Produce Agencies	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2
Retail Trade	127.2	128.5	133.4	133.8	135.1	136.8
<u>Total Commerce</u>	174.5	176.1	182.9	183.4	184.8	186.8
<u>Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.</u>	31.0	30.9	32.1	32.1	31.7	31.7
Other -						
Law and Order	11.0	11.1	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.7
Religion and Social Welfare	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
Health Services	88.7	88.5	91.4	91.7	92.0	92.1
Education	60.9	61.0	64.7	64.6	64.7	64.9
Other Professional Services	10.9	11.2	11.6	11.9	11.8	11.9
Amusement, Sport and Recreation	8.9	9.1	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.3
Personal Service (g)	68.6	68.6	68.6	69.0	69.5	69.7
<u>Total Other</u>	258.0	258.5	266.2	267.1	268.0	268.6
<u>TOTAL:</u>	820.9	825.2	858.6	861.3	865.0	869.0
PERSONS						
<u>Forestry, Fishing and Trapping</u>	25.1	25.0	25.6	25.6	25.3	25.2
Mining and Quarrying -						
Gold Mining	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8
Silver, Lead and Zinc Mining	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0
Coal Mining	21.5	21.5	21.6	21.5	21.4	21.4
Other Mining and Quarrying	12.3	12.3	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.3
<u>Total Mining and Quarrying</u>	50.1	50.1	50.6	50.6	50.4	50.5
Manufacturing, etc. -						
Factories (b)	1,066.5	1,069.8	*1,107.5	*1,109.8	*1,114.6	1,117.0
Other (c)	76.2	76.2	77.4	77.3	77.4	77.6
<u>Total Manufacturing</u>	1,142.7	1,146.0	*1,184.9	*1,187.1	*1,192.0	1,194.6
Building and Construction (including repairs, etc.) -						
Building (Privately employed) (e)	87.5	88.1	91.1	91.5	91.0	91.4
Other (f)	121.2	121.0	121.6	120.9	120.9	121.2
<u>Total Building and Construction</u>	208.7	209.1	212.7	212.4	211.9	212.6
Transport and Communication -						
Road Transport	97.9	98.0	101.9	102.0	102.3	102.4
Shipping and Stevedoring	50.9	50.8	49.7	49.4	48.6	49.5
Rail and Air Transport	112.4	111.6	110.3	110.1	109.9	109.6
Communication	90.7	91.0	90.9	90.6	90.5	90.6
<u>Total Transport and Communication</u>	351.9	351.4	352.8	352.1	351.3	352.1
<u>Property and Finance (including Banks and Insurance)</u>	117.2	117.3	125.4	125.5	125.5	125.6
Commerce -						
Wholesale Trade	169.8	170.6	176.1	176.5	177.0	177.8
Primary Produce Agencies	31.7	32.5	30.0	31.0	31.9	32.7
Retail Trade	261.5	263.3	270.9	271.9	273.6	276.0
<u>Total Commerce</u>	463.0	466.4	477.0	479.4	482.5	486.5
<u>Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.</u>	136.3	136.1	137.8	137.9	137.3	137.5
Other -						
Law and Order	35.1	35.2	36.4	36.6	36.7	36.8
Religion and Social Welfare	20.4	20.4	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5
Health Services	117.0	117.1	120.5	120.8	121.2	121.3
Education	110.4	110.6	117.5	117.5	117.8	118.2
Other Professional Services	26.7	26.8	28.4	28.8	28.8	28.9
Amusement, Sport and Recreation	28.6	29.1	29.9	29.8	30.1	29.9
Personal Service (g)	123.0	123.1	123.5	124.2	124.8	125.2
<u>Total Other:</u>	461.2	462.3	476.7	478.2	479.9	480.8
<u>TOTAL:</u>	2,956.2	2,963.7	*3,043.5	*3,048.8	*3,056.1	3,065.4

* Revised.

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- (a) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.
- (b) The figures shown represent the actual monthly employment in factories as recorded at successive annual Censuses of Factories to June, 1959 with interim estimates for subsequent months. In this connexion, a factory is defined as an industrial establishment in which four or more persons are employed, or in which power, other than manual, is used. The employees covered are those engaged in manufacturing activities and exclude those engaged in selling and distribution, etc. The estimated numbers of employees in factories for the period July, 1948 to January, 1958 (shown in issues of this Bulletin up to No. 194) were based on Pay-roll Tax returns. This series was replaced as from July, 1948 in Bulletin No. 195 (February, 1958) and subsequent Bulletins by the Factory Census series referred to above.
- (c) Includes employees in industrial establishments outside the scope of the definition of a factory (given in (b) above) and persons employed by factory proprietors but engaged in selling and distribution, etc., who are excluded from figures shown opposite "Factories". Includes employees in factories in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.
- (d) Includes Law and Order, Religion and Social Welfare, Health, Education, Other Professional Services, Amusement, Sport, etc., and Personal Service, (Hotels, Restaurants, etc., excluding female private domestics). In respect of females only, also includes Forestry, Fishing, etc., Mining, Building and Construction.
- (e) Includes persons employed on private building, and employees of private employers contracting to public bodies, on construction, alteration, maintenance and repair of buildings.
- (f) Includes employees engaged in the construction and maintenance of roads, bridges, earthworks, etc., and employees directly employed by public bodies on the construction and maintenance of buildings.
- (g) Includes Hotels, Restaurants, Hairdressing and Other Personal Services (except female private domestics).
- (h) Prior to December, 1959, excludes also National Service Trainees in camp.

III. EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

By joint arrangement between the Secretary of the Department of Labour and National Service and the Commonwealth Statistician, a regular monthly survey of employment in the larger privately-owned factories of New South Wales and Victoria was instituted in January, 1952. Practically all private factories with 100 or more employees and a large section of those with between 50 and 100 employees were surveyed. The survey was extended to cover all States with effect from January, 1953.

The instruction as to employees to be included in the returns was as follows:- "The number of persons employed is to include all persons on the establishment of the factory who are engaged in the factory or on the factory office staff, providing their employment is directly related to manufacture", and further "..... the number of males and females (separately) employed in the specified factory or mill. These figures are to include factory office staff, but are to exclude selling and distribution staff". The figures obtained relate to the numbers on the pay-roll as at the last pay-day in the month.

The survey was instituted to provide an earlier indication of trend of private factory employment, month by month, than is available from any other source, and in fact the trends shown in employment in these larger private factories are broadly consonant with those shown in estimates of total private factory employment, for the period for which comparisons are available.

Employment in food-processing factories is subject to considerable seasonal variation. In view of this circumstance, the movements in "all factories excluding food factories" are given equal prominence in the tables with those in "all factories surveyed".

An industrial analysis, showing movements in each of eight broad groups, is given in Table 13. In continuation of the earlier practice, this table is confined to the five mainland States. Figures for Tasmania cannot be incorporated into this table in the same detail because of the risk of disclosure of individual factory particulars.

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TABLE 9 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

SIX STATES

Period (End of Month)	Employment in all Factories surveyed			Percentage movement since previous month		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1959 - October	415,369	130,098	545,467	+ 0.2	+ 1.3	+ 0.4
November	415,396	130,464	545,860	-	+ 0.3	+ 0.1
December	414,759	130,653	545,412	- 0.2	+ 0.1	- 0.1
1960 - January	418,107	132,500	550,607	+ 0.8	+ 1.4	+ 1.0
February	421,077	135,367	556,444	+ 0.7	+ 2.2	+ 1.1
March	423,144	136,644	559,788	+ 0.5	+ 0.9	+ 0.6
April	423,093	134,987	558,080	-	- 1.2	- 0.3
May	425,473	135,735	561,208	+ 0.6	+ 0.6	+ 0.6
June	427,352	136,689	564,041	+ 0.4	+ 0.7	+ 0.5
July	429,118	136,998	566,116	+ 0.4	+ 0.2	+ 0.4
August	429,085	137,342	566,427	-	+ 0.3	+ 0.1
September	429,923	137,629	567,552	+ 0.2	+ 0.2	+ 0.2
October	429,813	137,823	567,636	-	+ 0.1	-
November	429,443	137,508	566,951	- 0.1	- 0.2	- 0.1

TABLE 10 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES

STATES

State	Employment in all Factories surveyed					Percentage movement in employment	
	1959		1960			Sept., 1960- Oct., 1960	Oct., 1960- Nov., 1960
	October	November	Sept.	October	November		

MALES

New South Wales	172,776	173,641	179,380	179,368	180,416	-	+ 0.6
Victoria	126,866	127,789	131,826	132,385	132,635	+ 0.4	+ 0.2
Queensland	39,997	37,581	40,566	39,591	37,528	- 2.4	- 5.2
South Australia	43,506	43,892	45,218	45,560	45,704	+ 0.8	+ 0.3
Western Australia	17,745	17,947	18,487	18,554	18,629	+ 0.4	+ 0.4
Tasmania	14,479	14,546	14,446	14,355	14,531	- 0.6	+ 1.2
TOTAL:	415,369	415,396	429,923	429,813	429,443	-	- 0.1

FEMALES

New South Wales	55,372	55,467	59,236	59,144	58,729	- 0.2	- 0.7
Victoria	49,243	49,474	51,308	51,596	51,742	+ 0.6	+ 0.3
Queensland	8,483	8,380	9,066	8,920	8,925	- 1.6	+ 0.1
South Australia	9,425	9,395	10,325	10,342	10,329	+ 0.2	- 0.1
Western Australia	3,607	3,683	3,497	3,584	3,538	+ 2.5	- 1.3
Tasmania	3,968	4,065	4,197	4,237	4,245	+ 1.0	+ 0.2
TOTAL:	130,098	130,464	137,629	137,823	137,508	+ 0.1	- 0.2

PERSONS

New South Wales	228,148	229,108	238,616	238,512	239,145	-	+ 0.3
Victoria	176,109	177,263	183,134	183,981	184,377	+ 0.5	+ 0.2
Queensland	48,480	45,961	49,632	48,511	46,453	- 2.3	- 4.2
South Australia	52,931	53,287	55,543	55,902	56,033	+ 0.6	+ 0.2
Western Australia	21,352	21,630	21,984	22,138	22,167	+ 0.7	+ 0.1
Tasmania	18,447	18,611	18,643	18,592	18,776	- 0.3	+ 1.0
TOTAL:	545,467	545,860	567,552	567,636	566,951	-	- 0.1

TABLE 11 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES,

EXCLUDING FOOD FACTORIES

SIX STATES

Period (End of Month)	Employment in all Factories surveyed, except Food Factories			Percentage movement since previous month		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1959 - October	359,301	112,686	471,987	+ 0.3	+ 0.9	+ 0.5
November	360,731	112,958	473,689	+ 0.4	+ 0.2	+ 0.4
December	361,365	112,767	474,132	+ 0.2	- 0.2	+ 0.1
1960 - January	364,892	112,770	477,662	+ 1.0	-	+ 0.7
February	366,439	114,592	481,031	+ 0.4	+ 1.6	+ 0.7
March	368,708	115,883	484,591	+ 0.6	+ 1.1	+ 0.7
April	369,494	116,507	486,001	+ 0.2	+ 0.5	+ 0.3
May	371,022	117,467	488,489	+ 0.4	+ 0.8	+ 0.5
June	372,195	118,748	490,943	+ 0.3	+ 1.1	+ 0.5
July	373,134	119,383	492,517	+ 0.3	+ 0.5	+ 0.3
August	374,232	119,987	494,219	+ 0.3	+ 0.5	+ 0.3
September	375,135	120,331	495,466	+ 0.2	+ 0.3	+ 0.3
October	375,387	120,138	495,525	+ 0.1	- 0.2	-
November	375,987	119,482	495,469	+ 0.2	- 0.5	-

TABLE 12 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES,

EXCLUDING FOOD FACTORIES

STATES

State	Employment in all Factories surveyed, excluding Food Factories					Percentage movement in employment	
	1959		1960			Sept., 1960	Oct., 1960-
	October	November	Sept.	October	November	Oct., 1960	Nov., 1960

MALES

New South Wales	157,293	157,915	164,253	164,204	165,087	-	+ 0.5
Victoria	109,815	109,912	115,384	115,334	115,140	-	- 0.2
Queensland	24,916	25,226	25,612	25,755	25,618	+ 0.6	- 0.5
South Australia	39,812	40,107	41,603	41,846	41,924	+ 0.6	+ 0.2
Western Australia	15,154	15,268	15,860	15,873	15,919	+ 0.1	+ 0.3
Tasmania	12,311	12,303	12,423	12,375	12,299	- 0.4	- 0.6
TOTAL:	359,301	360,731	375,135	375,387	375,987	+ 0.1	+ 0.2

FEMALES

New South Wales	48,785	48,873	52,789	52,351	51,778	- 0.8	- 1.1
Victoria	43,144	43,198	45,343	45,477	45,436	+ 0.3	- 0.1
Queensland	6,760	6,755	7,132	7,159	7,186	+ 0.4	+ 0.4
South Australia	8,159	8,156	9,081	9,092	9,053	+ 0.1	- 0.4
Western Australia	2,768	2,803	2,687	2,723	2,686	+ 1.3	- 1.4
Tasmania	3,070	3,173	3,299	3,336	3,343	+ 1.1	+ 0.2
TOTAL:	112,686	112,958	120,331	120,138	119,482	- 0.2	- 0.5

PERSONS

New South Wales	206,078	206,788	217,042	216,555	216,865	- 0.2	+ 0.1
Victoria	152,959	153,110	160,727	160,811	160,576	+ 0.1	- 0.1
Queensland	31,676	31,981	32,744	32,914	32,804	+ 0.5	- 0.3
South Australia	47,971	48,263	50,684	50,938	50,977	+ 0.5	+ 0.1
Western Australia	17,922	18,071	18,547	18,596	18,605	+ 0.3	-
Tasmania	15,381	15,476	15,722	15,711	15,642	- 0.1	- 0.4
TOTAL:	471,987	473,689	495,466	495,525	495,469	-	-

TABLE 13 - EMPLOYMENT IN LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES : FIVE MAINLAND STATES

Industrial Group	INDUSTRIAL GROUPS				Percentage Movement	
	Employment in Factories Surveyed				in Employment	
	(5 States)					
	November, 1959	Sept., 1960	October, 1960	November, 1960	Sept., 1960- Oct., 1960	Oct., 1960- Nov., 1960
MALES						
1. Building Materials	36,346	37,502	37,484	37,632	-	+ 0.4
2. Basic Metals	46,963	49,743	50,088	50,559	+ 0.7	+ 0.9
3. Transportation Equipment	61,907	66,556	66,834	66,737	+ 0.4	- 0.1
4. Other Metal Manufactures	95,619	99,954	99,711	99,651	- 0.2	- 0.1
5. Chemicals and Allied Products	22,076	22,201	22,157	22,144	- 0.2	- 0.1
6. Clothing and Textiles	32,696	32,756	32,745	32,622	-	- 0.4
7. Food, Drink and Tobacco	52,422	52,765	52,446	51,224	- 0.6	- 2.3
8. All Other	52,821	54,000	53,993	54,343	-	+ 0.6
Total-All Groups	400,850	415,477	415,458	414,912	-	- 0.1
Total-Excluding Food, etc.	348,428	362,712	363,012	363,688	+ 0.1	+ 0.2
FEMALES						
1. Building Materials	3,294	3,408	3,411	3,452	+ 0.1	+ 1.2
2. Basic Metals	2,915	3,267	3,299	3,288	+ 1.0	- 0.3
3. Transportation Equipment	5,952	6,729	6,756	6,842	+ 0.4	+ 1.3
4. Other Metal Manufactures	25,178	28,075	27,742	27,046	- 1.2	- 2.5
5. Chemicals and Allied Products	5,061	4,998	5,028	5,003	+ 0.6	- 0.5
6. Clothing and Textiles	53,309	55,591	55,528	55,370	- 0.1	- 0.3
7. Food, Drink and Tobacco	16,614	16,400	16,784	17,124	+ 2.3	+ 2.0
8. All Other	14,076	14,964	15,038	15,138	+ 0.5	+ 0.7
Total-All Groups	126,399	133,432	133,586	133,263	+ 0.1	- 0.2
Total-Excluding Food, etc.	109,785	117,032	116,802	116,139	- 0.2	- 0.6

IV. UNEMPLOYMENT

TABLE 14 - NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT (a) : STATES

NOTE: The figures in this table are as furnished by the Department of Social Services.

Month	N.S.W. (b)	Vic.	Qld.	S.A. (c)	W.A.	Tas.	Australia		
							Males	Females	Persons
1953 June	14,629	5,939	3,677	655	691	323	21,552	4,362	25,914
1954 June	2,810	1,203	1,657	79	225	109	4,360	1,723	6,083
1955 June	1,042	319	964	70	239	45	1,670	1,009	2,679
1956 June	2,325	1,412	1,270	319	1,606	71	5,395	1,608	7,003
1957 June	6,242	5,073	2,851	1,054	2,441	410	14,324	3,747	18,071
1958 June	11,703	6,899	4,905	2,267	3,005	639	22,051	7,367	29,418
1959 June	12,092	6,013	4,477	1,337	2,939	670	19,691	7,837	27,528
1960 June	5,625	3,676	3,064	1,383	2,293	500	11,399	5,142	16,541
1959 - July	12,569	6,339	3,008	1,449	3,279	798	19,299	8,143	27,442
August	10,927	6,012	2,608	1,415	2,993	932	17,532	7,355	24,887
September	9,262	5,281	2,902	1,232	2,670	816	15,577	6,586	22,163
October	7,862	4,302	3,121	1,163	2,436	714	13,654	5,944	19,598
November	6,975	3,727	4,502	1,120	2,113	600	13,337	5,700	19,037
December	7,403	4,044	6,814	1,124	2,538	546	16,890	5,579	22,469
1960 - January	7,876	3,946	7,765	1,159	2,638	397	18,054	5,727	23,781
February	6,595	3,263	6,472	994	2,325	371	14,522	5,498	20,020
March	6,033	3,254	5,356	1,040	2,073	286	12,562	5,480	18,042
April	6,030	3,588	4,306	1,327	2,084	352	12,215	5,472	17,687
May	5,736	3,768	3,382	1,380	2,075	424	11,475	5,290	16,765
June	5,625	3,676	3,064	1,383	2,293	500	11,399	5,142	16,541
July	5,192	3,531	1,843	1,422	2,322	587	10,081	4,816	14,897
August	4,470	3,052	2,059	1,183	1,977	590	8,947	4,384	13,331
September	3,847	2,584	2,140	1,043	1,573	596	7,924	3,859	11,783
October	3,194	2,009	2,468	816	1,425	452	6,840	3,524	10,364
November	3,088	1,797	3,393	742	1,273	367	7,236	3,424	10,660

(a) Number on benefit at last Saturday of month. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory.

V. AVERAGE EARNINGS AND RATES OF WAGE

TABLE 15 - AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL WAGES PAID AND AVERAGE EARNINGS (a)

The following figures are derived from employment and wages recorded on Pay-roll Tax returns, from other direct collections and from estimates of the unrecorded balance. Pay of members of the Defence Forces is not included. The figures are not seasonally adjusted. A seasonally adjusted quarterly index of average wage earnings is shown in Table 16.

Period	N.S.W. (b)	Vic.	Qld.	S.A. (c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL WAGES PAID (£'000)							
1953-54	16,480	11,767	5,227	3,615	2,754	1,305	41,148
1954-55	17,970	12,901	5,601	3,940	2,928	1,399	44,739
1955-56	19,764	14,144	6,033	4,330	3,104	1,521	48,896
1956-57	20,943	14,925	6,457	4,507	3,177	1,635	51,644
1957-58	21,664	15,510	6,585	4,635	3,284	1,671	53,349
1958-59	22,414	16,240	6,970	4,823	3,347	1,725	55,519
1959-60	24,692	18,160	7,383	5,414	3,621	1,870	61,140
1958-59 -							
September Quarter	22,129	15,827	6,983	4,777	3,392	1,648	54,756
December "	23,601	16,970	7,387	4,984	3,494	1,798	58,234
March "	21,185	15,377	6,501	4,599	3,122	1,666	52,450
June "	22,740	16,787	7,010	4,930	3,381	1,790	56,638
1959-60 -							
September "	23,445	17,397	7,364	5,270	3,537	1,756	58,769
December "	25,351	18,442	7,558	5,443	3,693	1,883	62,370
March "	23,761	17,680	7,031	5,308	3,489	1,832	59,101
June "	26,213	19,120	7,578	5,634	3,764	2,009	64,318
1960-61 -							
September "	26,187	19,064	7,940	5,680	3,884	1,869	64,624
AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT (£) (d)							
1953-54	16.69	16.64	14.98	15.87	15.59	15.78	16.26
1954-55	17.64	17.59	15.58	16.83	16.11	16.54	17.13
1955-56	18.92	18.78	16.49	17.88	16.92	17.75	18.28
1956-57	19.89	19.70	17.50	18.28	17.48	18.79	19.16
1957-58	20.44	20.22	17.94	18.68	18.05	18.95	19.67
1958-59	21.04	20.69	18.63	19.10	18.19	19.33	20.19
1959-60	22.71	22.34	19.71	20.70	19.52	20.71	21.74
1958-59 -							
September Quarter	20.83	20.52	18.53	19.17	18.50	18.61	20.05
December "	22.11	21.85	19.72	19.89	18.97	20.22	21.23
March "	19.88	19.44	17.50	18.14	16.95	18.53	19.03
June "	21.32	20.97	18.78	19.20	18.33	19.96	20.44
1959-60 -							
September "	21.91	21.72	19.60	20.39	19.19	19.82	21.15
December "	23.41	22.80	20.30	20.91	19.91	20.97	22.28
March "	21.72	21.58	18.89	20.18	18.78	20.08	20.92
June "	23.78	23.24	20.04	21.31	20.17	21.95	22.60
1960-61 -							
September "	23.59	23.08	20.85	21.45	20.63	20.59	22.59

(a) Includes, in addition to wages at award rates, earnings of salaried employees, over-time earnings, over-award and bonus payments, etc. (b) Includes the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes the Northern Territory. (d) Total wages and salaries, etc., divided by total civilian employment expressed in male units. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings. The same ratio has been used in each State and because the average ratio of female to male earnings may vary between States precise comparisons between average earnings in different States cannot be made on the basis of the figures above.

NOTE: - Comparisons as to trend should be made for complete years or corresponding periods of incomplete years. Quarterly totals and averages are affected by seasonal influences.

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TABLE 16 - INDEXES OF AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE EARNINGS (a) : AUSTRALIA

(Base of each Index : Year 1953-54 = 100)

New Series - Seasonally Adjusted

Period	All Industries (b)	Manufacturing (c)	Period	All Industries (b)	Manufacturing (c)
1947-48	47.5	48.0	1958-59 -		
1948-49	53.9	54.3	September Quarter	123.5	124.1
1949-50	59.3	60.0	December "	124.5	125.9
1950-51	71.1	72.0	March "	124.2	125.3
1951-52	87.1	88.4	June "	125.5	126.6
1952-53	95.2	95.4	1959-60 -		
1953-54	100.0	100.0	September "	129.6	130.9
1954-55	105.4	106.9	December "	130.5	131.8
1955-56	112.2	113.8	March "	135.3	136.5
1956-57	118.2	118.3	June "	138.1	138.5
1957-58	121.3	122.0	1960-61 -		
1958-59	124.4	125.5	September "	137.8	139.1
1959-60	133.4	134.4			

(a) Includes salaries. (b) Average earnings per male unit employed. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings. The "All Industries" index is based on Pay-roll Tax returns and other data. (c) The index for manufacturing industries for the years 1947-48 to 1958-59 is based on the average earnings of male wage and salary earners employed in factories as disclosed by annual Factory Censuses. The figures for periods subsequent to June, 1959 are interim estimates based on Pay-roll Tax returns and are subject to revision when the Factory Census for 1959-60 is tabulated.

NOTES - The index numbers for "All Industries" and "Manufacturing" show the movement in average earnings over a period of time. However, they do not give, at any point of time, a comparison of actual earnings in the two groups.

TABLE 17 - MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES

INDUSTRIAL GROUPS (a), 31ST OCTOBER, 1960

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excl. Overtime), as prescribed in Awards, Determinations, etc. and Index Numbers of Wage Rates.

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
RATES OF WAGE (b)							
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Mining and Quarrying (c)	438 8	347 11	425 2	336 6	387 9	365 10	415 8
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	348 2	347 1	348 11	345 10	363 3	357 3	348 5
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	343 4	338 3	340 9	328 2	344 9	333 6	339 8
Food, Drink and Tobacco	349 4	357 4	341 9	336 6	359 2	344 0	349 7
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	352 10	338 7	328 1	340 8	351 0	341 11	343 0
Paper, Printing, etc.	370 0	380 4	385 2	363 2	405 3	354 2	374 9
Other Manufacturing	348 10	340 1	335 11	337 3	346 1	343 10	343 7
All Manufacturing Groups	349 8	347 5	344 0	343 0	358 3	349 3	348 1
Building and Construction	359 0	361 4	339 3	341 3	356 3	351 7	354 0
Railway Services	347 5	326 1	355 4	329 10	343 9	356 7	343 1
Road and Air Transport	360 2	344 11	329 2	335 1	359 10	349 3	349 4
Shipping and Stevedoring (d)	345 7	345 4	341 2	343 0	341 5	341 8	343 11
Communication	386 5	382 11	381 2	380 7	381 8	377 3	383 7
Wholesale and Retail Trade	358 1	355 3	353 0	340 6	357 5	349 7	354 9
Public Administration and Professional	352 10	342 5	340 1	327 0	341 10	351 0	344 9
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	342 5	327 5	333 2	326 9	343 5	333 7	335 3
All Industrial Groups (a)	357 5	349 7	349 7	341 9	357 11	351 1	352 7

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TABLE 17 - MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES
INDUSTRIAL GROUPS (a), 31ST OCTOBER, 1960 - (Continued)

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
INDEX NUMBERS							
(Base : Weighted Average Weekly Wage Rate, Australia, 1954 = 100)							
Mining and Quarrying (c)	155.3	123.2	150.5	119.1	137.3	129.5	147.2
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	123.3	122.9	123.5	122.5	128.6	126.5	123.4
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	121.6	119.8	120.7	116.2	122.1	118.1	120.3
Food, Drink and Tobacco	123.7	126.5	121.0	119.1	127.2	121.8	123.8
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	124.9	119.9	116.2	120.6	124.3	121.1	121.5
Paper, Printing, etc.	131.0	134.7	136.4	128.6	143.5	125.4	132.7
Other Manufacturing	123.5	120.4	118.9	119.4	122.5	121.7	121.7
All Manufacturing Groups	123.8	123.0	121.8	121.5	126.9	123.7	123.2
Building and Construction	127.1	127.9	120.1	120.8	126.1	124.5	125.3
Railway Services	123.0	115.5	125.8	116.8	121.7	126.3	121.5
Road and Air Transport	127.5	122.1	116.6	118.6	127.4	123.7	123.7
Shipping and Stevedoring (d)	122.4	122.3	120.8	121.5	120.9	121.0	121.8
Communication	136.8	135.6	135.0	134.8	135.1	133.6	135.8
Wholesale and Retail Trade	126.8	125.8	125.0	120.6	126.6	123.8	125.6
Public Administration and Professional	124.9	121.2	120.4	115.8	121.0	124.3	122.1
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	121.2	115.9	118.0	115.7	121.6	118.1	118.7
All Industrial Groups (a)	126.6	123.8	123.8	121.0	126.7	124.3	124.8

(a) Excludes Rural. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends. (c) For mining, the average rates of wage on which index numbers are based are those prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. (d) For shipping, average rates of wage on which index numbers are based are for occupations other than masters, officers and engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of keep, where supplied.

TABLE 18 - MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a)

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Wage Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding Overtime), as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Index Numbers of Wage Rates

Date	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
RATES OF WAGE (b)							
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
31st December, 1945	122 6	121 1	118 1	116 0	120 4	115 7	120 7
" " 1949	171 5	168 5	165 2	164 5	168 4	164 4	168 8
" " 1950	206 2	201 9	195 2	197 11	200 7	198 0	202 0
" " 1951	250 2	240 6	229 11	236 0	241 6	238 3	242 5
" " 1952	280 2	270 8	258 6	270 10	275 6	272 3	273 2
" " 1953	287 4	278 7	264 8	273 6	283 8	283 4	280 2
" " 1954	293 3	284 10	275 7	281 7	287 2	287 8	286 10
" " 1955	305 3	295 7	283 6	285 0	300 1	293 7	297 0
" " 1956	322 9	309 7	302 9	296 4	312 10	313 11	313 0
" " 1957	324 6	316 0	304 4	306 11	321 7	318 6	317 5
" " 1958*	329 3	319 8	317 10	312 5	324 0	323 7	322 11
" " 1959*	350 1	344 0	334 4	339 10	340 9	346 10	344 7
31st March, 1960*	354 6	349 0	338 11	341 3	345 2	347 9	348 10
30th June, 1960*	355 10	349 3	344 7	341 8	350 4	349 5	350 7
31st July 1960*	355 11	349 4	344 9	341 9	355 8	349 6	351 1
31st August, 1960*	357 5	349 6	346 7	341 9	355 9	351 0	352 0
30th September, 1960	357 4	349 6	346 8	341 9	355 10	351 1	352 0
31st October, 1960	357 5	349 7	349 7	341 9	357 11	351 1	352 7

(a) Excludes Rural. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends. * Revised.

TABLE 18 : MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a) - (Continued)

Date	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
INDEX NUMBERS							
(Base : Weighted Average Weekly Wage Rate, Australia, 1954 = 100)							
31st December, 1945	43.4	42.9	41.8	41.1	42.6	40.9	42.7
" " 1949	60.7	59.6	58.5	58.2	59.6	58.2	59.7
" " 1950	73.0	71.4	69.1	70.1	71.0	70.1	71.5
" " 1951	88.6	85.2	81.4	83.6	85.5	84.4	85.8
" " 1952	99.2	95.8	91.5	95.9	97.5	96.4	96.7
" " 1953	101.7	98.6	93.7	96.8	100.4	100.3	99.2
" " 1954	103.8	100.9	97.6	99.7	101.7	101.9	101.6
" " 1955	108.1	104.7	100.4	100.9	106.3	104.0	105.2
" " 1956	114.3	109.6	107.2	104.9	110.8	111.2	110.8
" " 1957	114.9	111.9	107.8	108.7	113.9	112.8	112.4
" " 1958*	116.6	113.2	112.5	110.6	114.7	114.6	114.3
" " 1959*	124.0	121.8	118.4	120.3	120.7	122.8	122.0
31st March, 1960*	125.5	123.6	120.0	120.8	122.2	123.1	123.5
30th June, 1960*	126.0	123.7	122.0	121.0	124.0	123.7	124.1
31st July, 1960*	126.0	123.7	122.1	121.0	125.9	123.8	124.3
31st August, 1960*	126.6	123.8	122.7	121.0	126.0	124.3	124.6
30th September, 1960	126.5	123.8	122.7	121.0	126.0	124.3	124.6
31st October, 1960	126.6	123.8	123.8	121.0	126.7	124.3	124.8

(a) Excludes Rural. * Revised.

TABLE 19 : MINIMUM HOURLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a)

Weighted Average Minimum Hourly Rates Payable and Index Numbers of Hourly Rates

Date	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
RATES OF WAGE (b) (Pence)							
31st December, 1945	33.64	33.05	32.63	31.72	32.83	31.71	33.05
" " 1949	51.53	50.58	49.62	49.40	50.65	49.30	50.66
" " 1950	61.96	60.58	58.60	59.44	60.35	59.42	60.70
" " 1951	75.23	72.21	69.01	70.89	72.72	71.57	72.87
" " 1952	84.23	81.24	77.56	81.38	82.98	81.82	82.08
" " 1953	86.41	83.66	79.41	82.16	85.46	85.22	84.21
" " 1954	88.24	85.59	82.79	84.63	86.51	86.60	86.26
" " 1955	91.89	88.87	85.22	85.68	90.50	88.45	89.36
" " 1956	97.07	92.99	90.95	88.99	94.23	94.45	94.09
" " 1957	97.57	94.90	91.32	92.17	96.87	95.75	95.37
" " 1958*	99.00	96.02	95.45	93.79	97.57	97.25	97.05
" " 1959*	105.23	103.30	100.35	102.05	102.56	104.28	103.53
31st March, 1960*	106.56	104.83	101.73	102.48	103.91	104.55	104.80
30th June, 1960*	106.98	104.90	103.48	102.60	105.49	105.08	105.35
31st July, 1960*	107.01	104.90	103.53	102.60	107.15	105.10	105.48
31st August, 1960*	107.44	104.95	104.10	102.63	107.15	105.53	105.78
30th September, 1960	107.44	104.95	104.10	102.63	107.17	105.55	105.76
31st October, 1960	107.46	104.98	105.03	102.63	107.82	105.58	105.95

(a) All industrial groups except Rural and Shipping and Stevedoring. The former is not included in the Minimum Wage Rate Index and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of hourly wage rates are not available.

(b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends.

* Revised.

TABLE 19 : MINIMUM HOURLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, ALL GROUPS (a) - (Continued)

Date	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
<u>INDEX NUMBERS</u>							
(Base : Weighted Average Hourly Wage Rate, Australia, 1954 = 100)							
31st December, 1945	39.6	38.9	38.4	37.4	38.7	37.3	38.9
" " 1949	60.7	59.6	58.4	58.2	59.7	58.1	59.7
" " 1950	73.0	71.4	69.0	70.0	71.1	70.0	71.5
" " 1951	88.6	85.1	81.3	83.5	85.7	84.3	85.8
" " 1952	99.2	95.7	91.4	95.9	97.7	96.4	96.7
" " 1953	101.8	98.5	93.5	96.8	100.7	100.4	99.2
" " 1954	103.9	100.8	97.5	99.7	101.9	102.0	101.6
" " 1955	108.2	104.7	100.4	100.9	106.6	104.2	105.3
" " 1956	114.3	109.5	107.1	104.8	111.0	111.2	110.8
" " 1957	114.9	111.8	107.6	108.6	114.1	112.8	112.3
" " 1958*	116.6	113.1	112.4	110.5	114.9	114.5	114.3
" " 1959*	123.9	121.7	118.2	120.2	120.8	122.8	121.9
31st March, 1960*	125.5	123.5	119.8	120.7	122.4	123.1	123.4
30th June, 1960*	126.0	123.6	121.9	120.8	124.3	123.8	124.1
31st July, 1960*	126.0	123.6	121.9	120.8	126.2	123.8	124.2
31st August, 1960*	126.5	123.6	122.6	120.9	126.2	124.3	124.6
30th September, 1960	126.5	123.6	122.6	120.9	126.2	124.3	124.6
31st October, 1960	126.6	123.7	123.7	120.9	127.0	124.4	124.8

(a) All industrial groups except Rural and Shipping and Stevedoring. The former is not included in the Minimum Wage Rate Index and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of hourly wage rates are not available. * Revised.

TABLE 20 : BASIC WAGES : WEEKLY RATES, 15TH DECEMBER, 1960

Particulars	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	Six Capitals
<u>COMMONWEALTH BASIC WAGE (a)</u>							
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Adult Males	283 0	275 0	258 0	271 0	276 0	282 0	276 0
Adult Females	212 0	206 0	193 6	203 0	207 0	211 6	207 0
<u>STATE BASIC WAGES</u>							
	s. d. (b)	s. d. (c)	s. d. (d)	s. d. (e)	s. d. (f)	s. d. (g)	
Adult Males	294 0	275 0	276 0	271 0	294 7	282 0	..
Adult Females	220 6	206 0	191 0	203 0	220 11	211 6	..

- (a) Payable as from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after 11th June, 1959.
- (b) Payable as from the beginning of the first pay-period in November, 1960.
- (c) During June and July, 1959, Wages Boards adopted the Commonwealth basic wage rates.
- (d) Payable as from 31st October, 1960.
- (e) Payable as from 15th June, 1959.
- (f) Payable as from 24th October, 1960.
- (g) Most Wages Boards adopted the Commonwealth basic wage rates from July, 1959.

17.
VI. INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES

Comparative figures for earlier years will be found in Part V of Official Book
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TABLE 21 - INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a) : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS - STATES

Quarter ended 30th September, 1960

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (b)
Number of Disputes							
Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Coal Mining	93	-	13	-	2	-	108
Other Mining and Quarrying	2	-	1	-	-	-	3
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	42	1	4	4	1	-	52
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Food, Drink and Tobacco	3	1	12	-	-	-	16
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Paper, Printing, etc.	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Other Manufacturing	11	3	-	1	1	-	16
Building and Construction	26	5	1	-	-	-	34
Railway and Tramway Services	7	1	2	1	-	1	12
Road and Air Transport	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
Stevedoring	32	7	21	7	12	5	85
Shipping	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other Industries (c)	1	2	-	-	-	-	3
<u>TOTAL:</u>	231	21	55	15	17	7	350

Workers Involved (d)

Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	44	-	-	44
Coal Mining	12,476	-	5,748	-	140	-	18,364
Other Mining and Quarrying	2,247	-	18	-	-	-	2,265
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	16,071	493	71,629	428	111	-	88,732
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	29	-	-	-	-	-	29
Food, Drink and Tobacco	232	928	10,409	-	-	-	11,569
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	252	-	-	-	-	-	252
Paper, Printing, etc.	1,399	-	-	-	-	-	1,399
Other Manufacturing	2,722	140	-	20	102	-	2,984
Building and Construction	2,978	1,265	63	-	-	-	4,460
Railway and Tramway Services	34,081	11,650	5,654	3,316	-	429	55,130
Road and Air Transport	1,208	-	-	-	-	-	1,208
Stevedoring	22,535	3,701	6,075	5,692	7,261	980	46,284
Shipping	700	500	200	150	150	100	1,850
Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	69	-	-	-	-	-	69
Other Industries (c)	250	482	-	-	-	-	732
<u>TOTAL:</u>	97,249	19,159	99,796	9,650	7,764	1,509	235,371

Working Days Lost

Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	44	-	-	44
Coal Mining	19,732	-	11,350	-	280	-	31,362
Other Mining and Quarrying	36,352	-	108	-	-	-	36,460
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	18,662	217	55,663	408	19	-	74,969
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	24	-	-	-	-	-	24
Food, Drink and Tobacco	492	928	12,532	-	-	-	13,952
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	227	-	-	-	-	-	227
Paper, Printing, etc.	1,521	-	-	-	-	-	1,521
Other Manufacturing	13,363	135	-	20	66	-	13,584
Building and Construction	12,187	1,822	959	-	-	-	15,458
Railway and Tramway Services	8,802	5,500	2,685	1,250	-	108	18,345
Road and Air Transport	705	-	-	-	-	-	705
Stevedoring	17,644	5,500	6,937	5,779	7,020	1,060	43,952
Shipping	1,400	1,000	400	300	300	200	3,700
Hotels, etc., and Personal Service	897	-	-	-	-	-	897
Other Industries	250	366	-	-	-	-	616
<u>TOTAL:</u>	132,258	15,468	90,634	7,801	7,685	1,368	255,816

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more.

(b) Includes disputes occurring in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Communication; Finance and Property; Wholesale and Retail Trade; Public Administration and Professional Services; and Amusement, Sport and Recreation. (d) Includes workers indirectly involved. See note (b) to Table 22.

TABLE 21 - INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a) : INDUSTRIAL GROUPS - STATES (continued)

Quarter ended 30th September, 1960

Industrial Group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (b)
Estimated Loss in Wages (£)							
Agriculture, Grazing, etc.	-	-	-	146	-	-	146
Coal Mining	79,874	-	54,189	-	1,160	-	135,223
Other Mining and Quarrying	241,226	-	730	-	-	-	241,956
Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	80,147	674	216,213	1,365	66	-	298,465
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	92	-	-	-	-	-	92
Food, Drink and Tobacco	1,120	3,883	48,688	-	-	-	53,691
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	704	-	-	-	-	-	704
Paper, Printing, etc.	4,905	-	-	-	-	-	4,905
Other Manufacturing	53,293	540	-	63	234	-	54,130
Building and Construction	57,637	8,816	3,460	-	-	-	72,213
Railway and Tramway Services	32,993	16,000	9,531	4,470	-	391	63,385
Road and Air Transport	2,618	-	-	-	-	-	2,618
Stevedoring	71,470	21,938	27,746	23,114	28,062	4,238	176,618
Shipping	5,000	3,800	1,500	1,100	1,100	700	13,580
Hotels, etc. and Personal Service	2,700	-	-	-	-	-	2,700
Other Industries (c)	1,000	1,341	-	-	-	-	2,341
TOTAL:	634,779	56,992	362,057	30,258	30,622	5,329	1,122,767

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more.

(b) Includes disputes occurring in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Communication; Finance and Property; Wholesale and Retail Trade; Public Administration and Professional Services; and Amusement, Sport and Recreation.

TABLE 22 - INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (a) : AUSTRALIA

Period	Number	Workers Involved			Working days lost	Estimated loss in wages (£)
		Directly	Indirectly (b)	Total		
1947	982	280,718	46,419	327,137	1,338,728	1,898,085
1948	1,141	301,025	16,124	317,149	1,662,686	2,299,114
1949	849	260,720	3,857	264,577	1,333,990	2,611,536
1950	1,276	391,481	40,220	431,701	2,062,888	4,166,418
1951	1,344	380,421	28,171	408,592	872,974	2,256,028
1952	1,627	488,178	17,556	505,734	1,163,504	3,439,850
1953	1,459	483,800	12,246	496,046	1,050,830	3,337,437
1954	1,490	355,580	14,494	370,074	901,639	3,021,211
1955	1,532	424,340	20,307	444,647	1,010,884	3,310,321
1956	1,306	414,590	13,393	427,983	1,121,383	3,967,061
1957	1,103	325,995	11,048	337,043	630,213	2,308,622
1958	987	275,573	7,276	282,849	439,890	1,590,603
1959	869	229,469	8,002	237,471	365,039	1,377,220
1958 - September Quarter	290	63,505	1,242	64,747	113,798	406,243
December "	188	30,439	3,071	33,510	67,415	258,557
1959 - March "	196	40,823	1,835	42,658	93,727	349,079
June "	234	54,717	1,705	56,422	83,112	314,753
September "	248	66,623	1,476	68,099	99,738	383,562
December "	191	67,306	2,986	70,292	88,462	329,826
1960 - March "	249	80,092	1,807	81,899	114,137	437,283
June "	253	135,723	479	136,202	170,187	644,976
September "	350	230,866	4,505	235,371	255,816	1,122,767

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more.

(b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishment where the stoppage occurred, but not themselves parties to the dispute.

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